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Dear Josh,

Except for the last chapter, The Genetic Revolution is through being copy-edited, and the publisher tells me that the deadline for your Foreword is about a month from now. I hope I will not be inconvenient for you to get to it soon.

I had hoped to send you the last chapter, consisting of comments by Harvey Brooks on the public policy chapters, but that chapter will probably just get in under the deadline. As a commentary it is not essential for your purposes.

I am sending a replacement dated 1-25-91 for Ch. 14, my comments on the scientific chapters. I have substantially changed my discussion of human diversity at the end, and the copy-editing has led to a good deal of polishing of other pages. The rest of the book has also undergone such polishing, but no significant change in content. The chapter on Medicine, in the version you have, was particularly wordy, but the final version is tightened up. If you wish the final versions I'll have them sent, but the pencilled corrections will make the reading slower.

Many thanks, again, for taking on this task.

Cordially,

Bernard D. Davis

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